Docket No.: 043890-0511

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In re Application of Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure

Atsushi TANAKA, et al.

Application No.: 09/843,030

Filed: April 27, 2001

:Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 7217

Group Art Unit: 2132

Examiner: Lemma, Samson B.

For: PORTABLE INFORMATION EQUIPMENT HAVING DATA EVACUATION FUNCTION AND METHOD OF DATA EVACUATION THEREOF

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Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	29	35	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
	····	Multiple dependent claims newly presented Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
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		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2005, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire July 29, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: